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**Mobile Information Systems** 

Wearable Computing/Wireless
Technology Development Bath Iron
Works

#### **The Team**







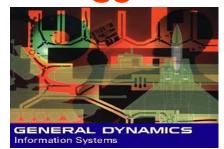








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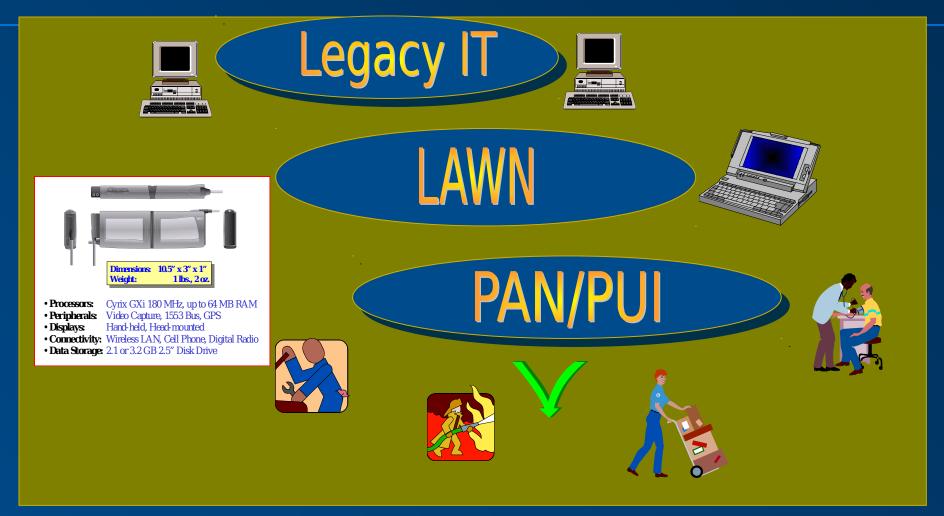






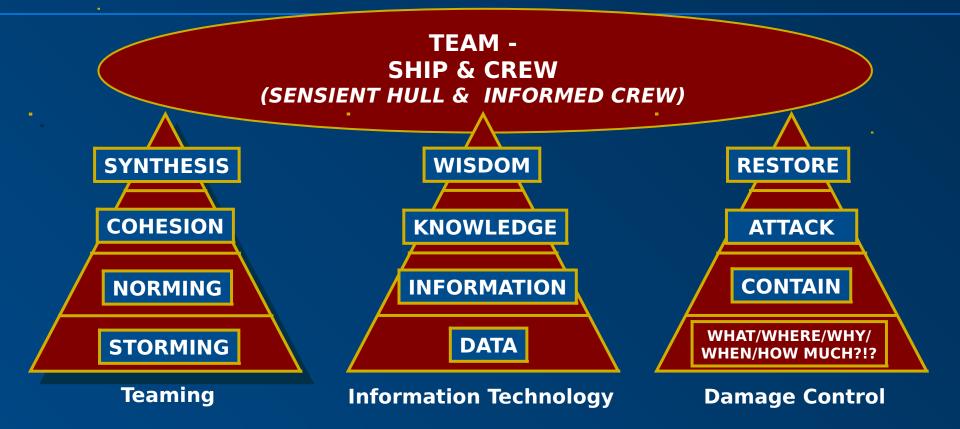


#### IT at the Site of Work





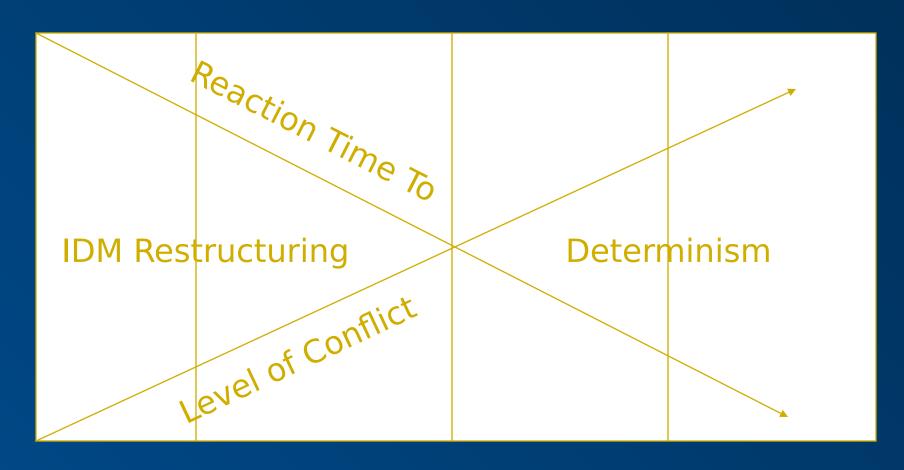
#### **Information and Team Models**



- Use of full duplex VIVOD
- CSOSS / EOSS / MSFD at all points
  - "Sensient Hull" components



### The Conflict Model - Determinism vs To





# **Work and research Projects to Date**



### **Augmented Reality**



### **Current Testing**

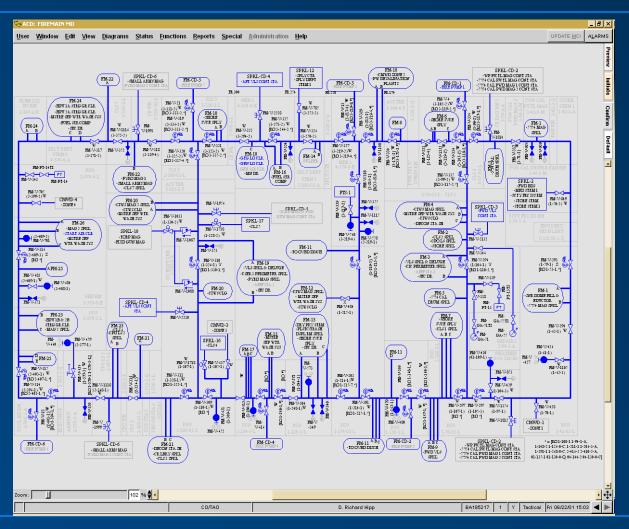




### **Automated Common Diagrams**

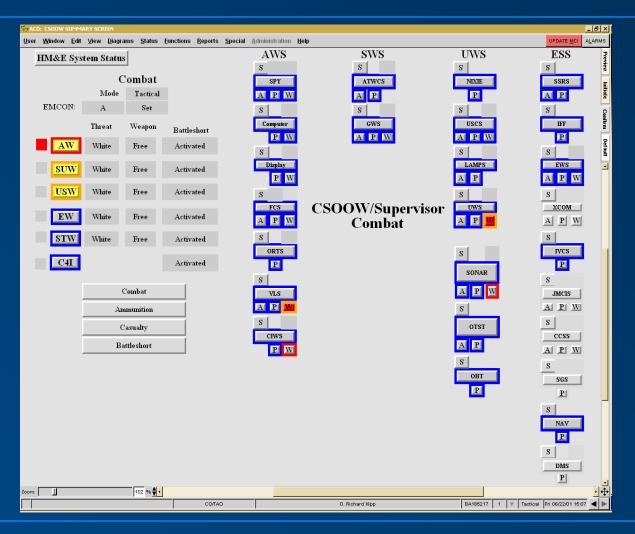


#### **ACD Main Diagram**





#### **CSOOW Status Screen**





# NDI-FFE (Wireless Fire-Fighting Ensemble)



### The "WFFE"



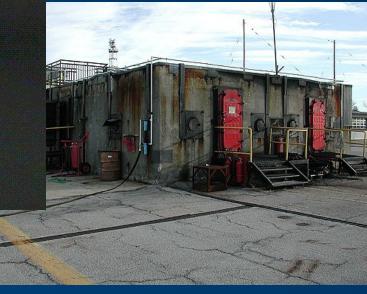






# "A" and "B" Fire Testing







# Remotely Operated Valves and Sensor Node Units

(ROV/SNU)



# Remotely Operated Valves and Sensor Node Units (ROV and SNU)



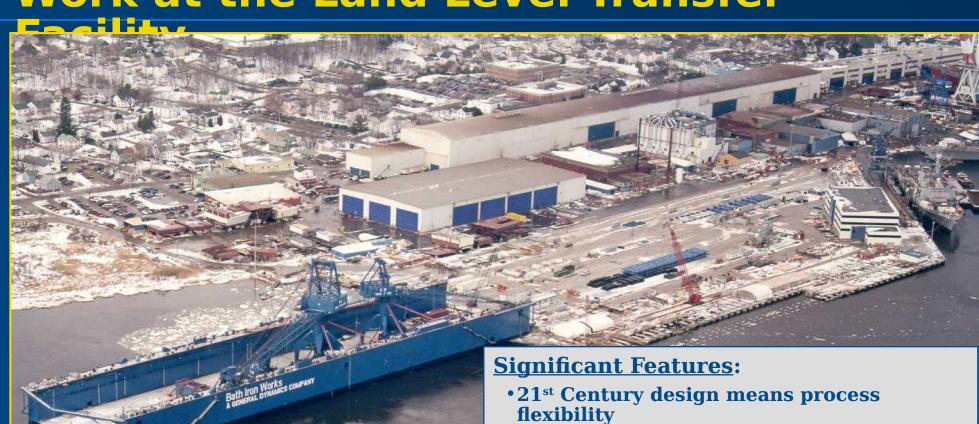




# **Heavy Production Support** (LWCS)



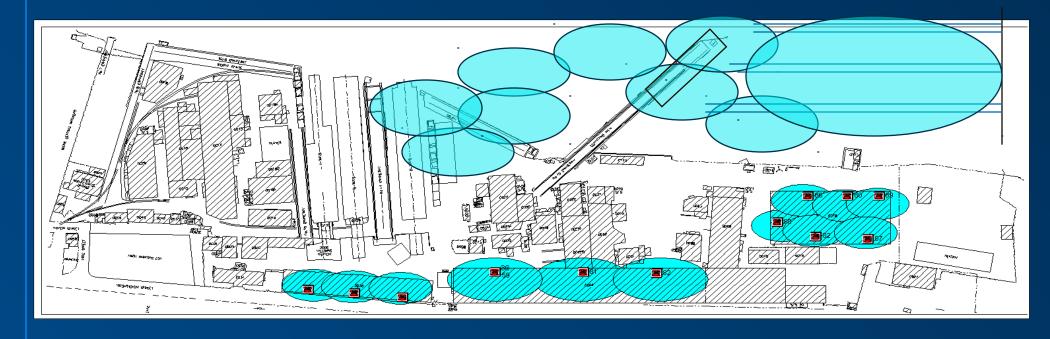
#### **Wireless Wearable Computers at Work at the Land Level Transfer**



- •3 level ship ways & 3 landing grids for dry dock
- Floating dry dock (28,000 lift capacity) Manufacturing Support Center (70,000 sq. ft.)
- •Max combined lift on LLTF = 600 tons

# RF Coverage for Wearable Computers

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#### **Robust Wireless IT at Work Site**

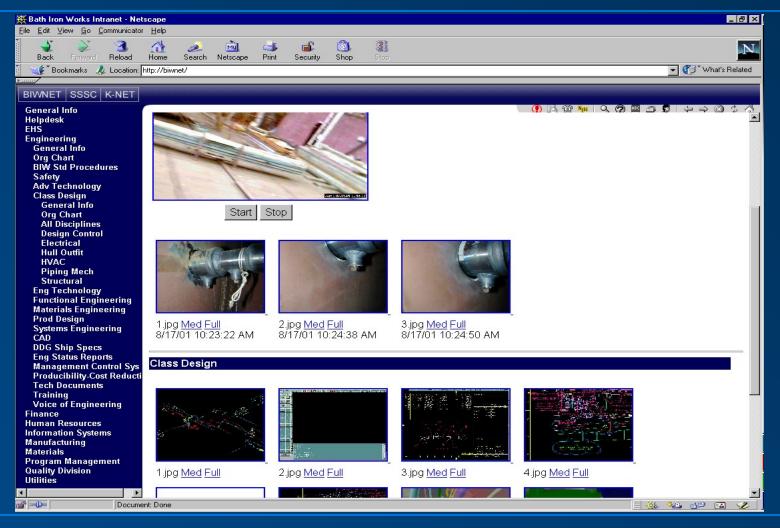




Constructors and Engineers Communicating Real Time

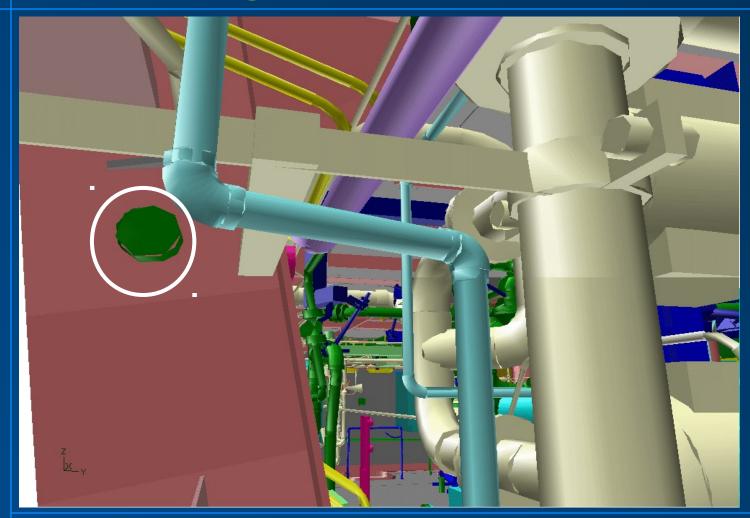


#### **BIW Wireless Website**





### **PVC Image of QA "Hot Spot"**





### **QA Evaluation of a Piping Weld**





### **QA Follow-Up Image**





#### **Pilot Results**

- Pilot in the Assembly Building (AB) on the 2220 and 2230 Units
  - > Pilot Results:
    - Verbal Response: 6 hrs 30 mins ———
    - EPS and Class Design Screening: 5 Days 1 hr.
    - Design Time per EAR reduced by 15.75 hrs.
- Very Positive Return on Investment numbers based on pilot results: ~40:1 in AB and ~85:1 in PO-2
- 3 hours spent in production equated to 2 days of documentation - driving force to paperless environment
- The above results prompted the rapid infrastructure expansion

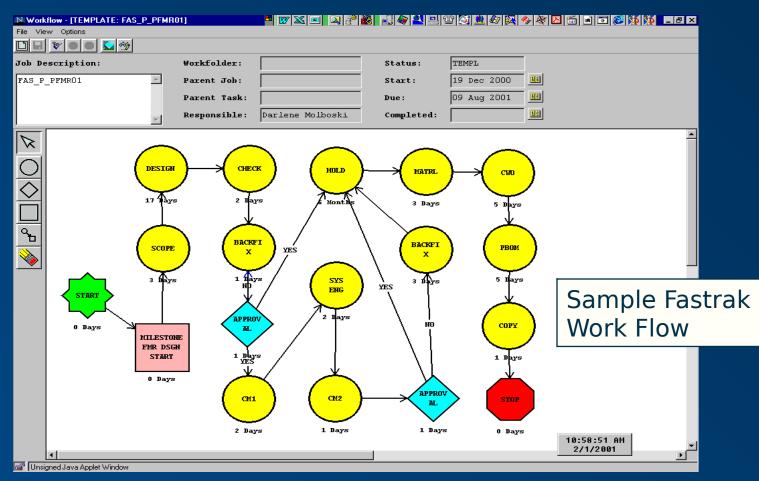


#### **Paperless Environment**

- Wearable / Fastrak integration
  - Conceptually a good fit, but forced process change
- Deck Plate documentation of issue
- Paperless transfer of information
  - Allow pictures, sketches etc. to be attached to fastrak task
  - 2nd and 3rd tier cost savings
- Integration with current Engineering Management Control System (EMCS)
  - Class Designer can work on change immediately as fastrak derives its work order number directly from EMCS
- This approach keeps the EPS personnel on the deck plates by releasing them of the administrative burden



#### **Its More Than Hardware**

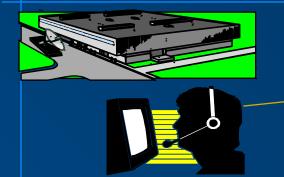




# **US Army Incorporation of ACD Into IBCTs**



#### **IBCT - ACD** with CBM and Mobile Devices





Wireless LAN

**Engineering Centers** 

Running Remote
Maintenance with Internet
NetMeeting voice and video
on Portable Computer over
wireless LAN. Will
incorporate use of
Intelligent tools for analysis
and fault
isolation/reconfiguration.



Maintenance Bay



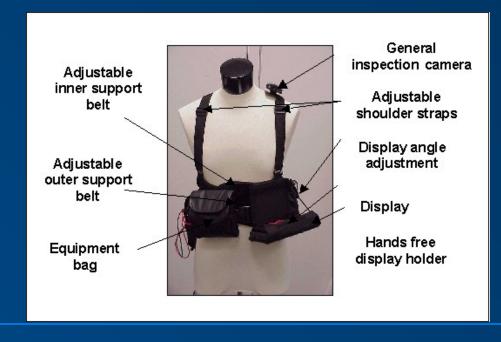
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## **Virtual Test Equipment**



### The "Tele-Maintainer" System

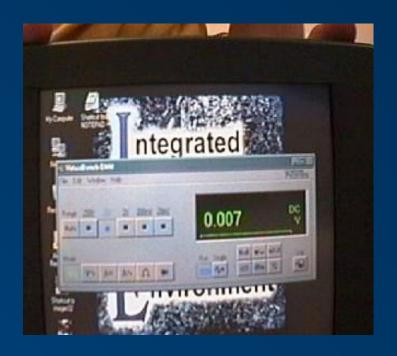
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YES	84	24.35%	As Is	35	10.14%
			With 100x Probe	49	14.20%
NO	89	25.80%	None Currently	83	24.10%
			Not Practical <sup>1</sup>	6	1.74%
Undetermined <sup>2</sup>	25	7.25%	Undetermined <sup>2</sup>	25	7.25%
Probe or Attachment <sup>3</sup>	147	42.60%	Probe or Attach. <sup>3</sup>	147	42.60%
TOTALS	345	100%		345	<b>100</b> %





# **Via II With Virtual Test Equipment/Tele- Maintainer**







# **DDG Mod (DDG-83) and Out-year Wireless Installs**



#### Shipboard Data Exchange The Vision.

Ship's Mobile IT

Devices.







Laptop



**Barcode Scanners** 





Wearable **Computers** 

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#### **Work-Stations Data Exchange**

Wireless LAN or **IRDA** 



Ship's LAN





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Laptop and **Docking** Station



42" Gas Plasma **Touch Screen, BHD** Mounted. 6" Thick, **Helo-Spring shock** mounts (USS Coronado).



**Command and** 







Two 42" Gas Plasma Touch **Screens, BHD Mounted** w/Integrated Computer Terminals Hardwired to Ship's LAN. Helo-Spring shock mounts (US Coronado).

# **Brunswick Naval Air Station - SmartWing**



### Navy Technicians "Trouble-Shooting"





### The Wireless Wearable Computer is a tool that can facilitate the

following:
Base Operation and Maintenance Long Range Maintenance and Planning **Annual Inspection Surveys** Base Operational Suppor **Project Management Quality Assurance Housing Inspections and Maintenance Emergency Response Suppor Environmental** 



#### **Facility Applications**

- Annual Inspection Surveys
- Facility Reporting
- Asset Management Systems
- Construction Administration
- Quality Assurance
- Site Survey
- Emergency Response Support
- Security
- WMD Response Support





#### **Portsmouth Naval Shipyard**

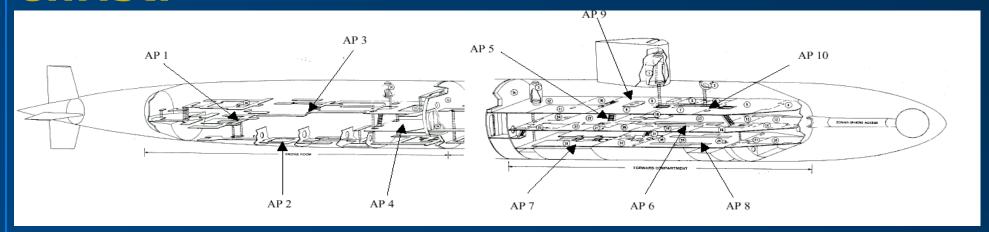


### Portsmouth Naval Shipyard Initiatives (SmartBase)

- Wearable Computers and Wireless Network
- Asset Tracking System
- Barcode Scanning System
- Process Development
- System Engineering and Test
  - Bath Iron Works industrial environment
  - Leverage existing wireless infrastructure



# Wireless LAN Coverage Analysis Conducted Onboard USS City of Corpus Christi



Installing System in Shipyard to Support Production Improvements

USS City of Corpus Christi first surveyed 22-26 July 2001

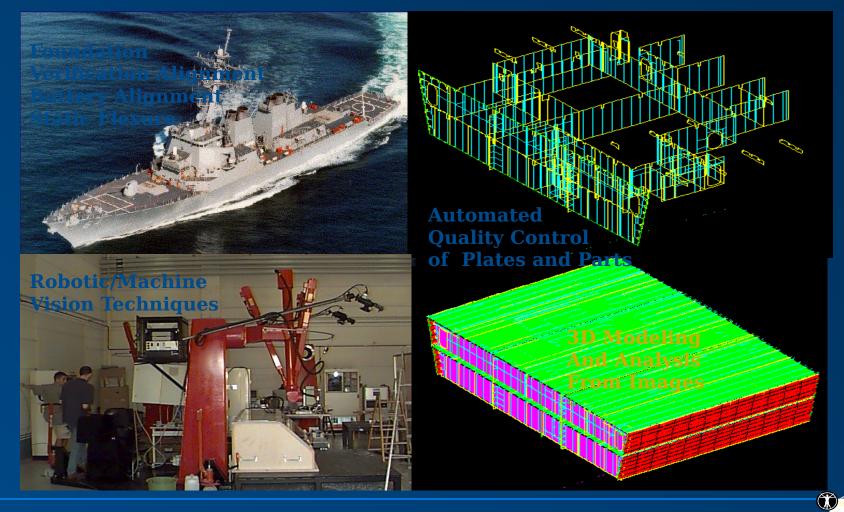


#### **Modeling Support Migration**



### Future Development - AR Models/Feducial Tracking





# **USS Barry - Digital MP Program**



### Digital MP Technology for Afloat Security

- Exploitation of Joint Army/DARPA/Industry Initiative
- ☐ Conducted May 2001
- Demonstration of Wearable ComputerBased Facial Recognition to Support InportSecurity
- 100% Threat Detection of UnbriefedIntruders at the Quarterdeck (24)
- Field Deployable by Army Standards
- Joint Solution to Common DOD Problem
- Installed in One Day





#### **Functional Control**



## "Vision-Man" Bridge Control System





#### **Presidential Inauguration**



#### **Special Mission Applications**











### Mass Casualty - Weapons of Mass Destruction



#### Participated in Three Drills (00)

- Boston Logan National Aircrash Drill
- Madawaska Mass Casualty Drill
- Westover AFB, Chickopee, MA



#### Boston Logan Air-crash Drill













#### Madawaska







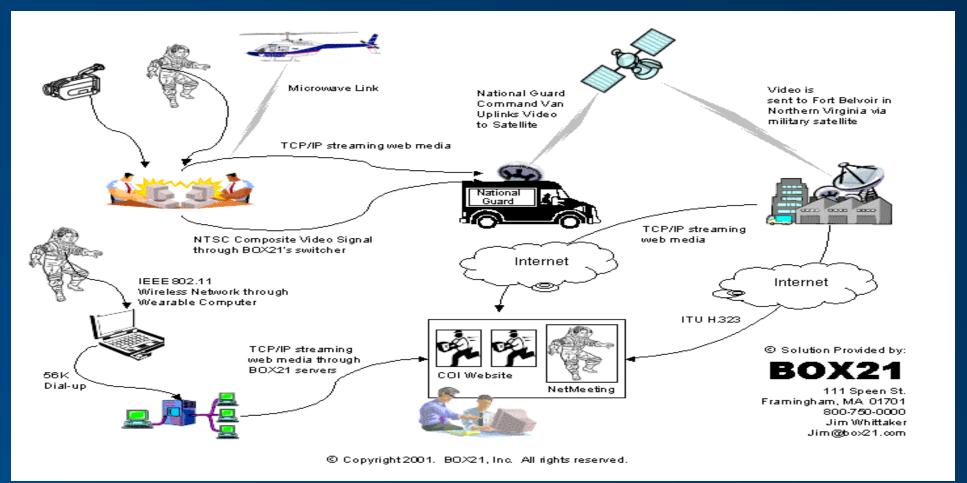








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